Claims

1. A compound of the formula

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 R^1 is $-OR^8$ or $-NR^9R^{10}$,

 R^2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl or aryl,

it being possible for alkyl R^2 to be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents R^{2-1} selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkylcarbonyloxy, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3 - C_8 -cycloalkyl, 5- to 10-membered heterocyclyl, C_6 - C_{10} -aryl, phenoxy and 5- to 10-membered heteroaryl,

in which cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl or heteroaryl R^{2-1} may be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, oxo, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkylaminocarbonyl and phenyl,

it being possible for aryl R² to be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents R²⁻² selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, C₁-C₆-alkyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C₁-C₆-alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C₁-C₆-alkylaminocarbonyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, 5-

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10-membered heterocyclyl, C₆-C₁₀-aryl and 5- to 10-membered heteroaryl,

R³ and R⁴ independently of one another are hydrogen or C₁-C₆-alkyl,

R⁵ and R⁶ independently of one another are hydrogen or C₁-C₆-alkyl,

5 R^7 is 3- to 12-membered carbocyclyl,

> it being possible for the carbocyclyl to be substituted by 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl and C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy,

 R^8 is hydrogen or C₁-C₆-alkyl,

> it being possible for alkyl R⁸ to be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents R⁸selected independently of one another from the group consisting of hydroxyl, amino, C₁-C₆-alkoxy, C₁-C₆-alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C₁-C₆alkylcarbonylamino, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, 5- to 10-membered heterocyclyl, C₆- C_{10} -aryl and 5- to 10-membered heteroaryl,

> in which cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl or heteroaryl R⁸⁻¹ may be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, C₁-C₆-alkyl, C₁-C₆alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C₁-C₆-alkylamino, aminocarbonyl and C₁-C₆-alkylaminocarbonyl,

 R^9 20 is hydrogen or C₁-C₆-alkyl,

> it being possible for alkyl R⁹ to be substituted by 0 or 1 substituent R⁹⁻¹ the group consisting of hydroxyl, selected from C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C₁-C₆-alkylaminocarbonyl, C₃-C₈-cycloalkyl, 5- to 10membered heterocyclyl, C₆-C₁₀-aryl and 5- to 10-membered heteroaryl,

in which cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl or heteroaryl R⁹⁻¹ may be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the

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group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl and C_1 - C_6 -alkylaminocarbonyl,

and

 $5 R^{10}$

is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl, C_3 - C_8 -cycloalkyl, 5- to 10-membered heterocyclyl, C_6 - C_{10} -aryl or 5- to 10-membered heteroaryl,

it being possible for alkyl R^{10} to be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents R^{10-1} selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkylaminocarbonyl, C_3 - C_8 -cycloalkyl, 5- to 10-membered heterocyclyl, C_6 - C_{10} -aryl and 5- to 10-membered heteroaryl,

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in which cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl or heteroaryl R^{10-1} may be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hýdroxyl, oxo, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl and C_1 - C_6 -alkylaminocarbonyl,

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it being possible for cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl or heteroaryl R^{10} to be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents R^{10-2} selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl and C_1 - C_6 -alkylaminocarbonyl,

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R⁹ and R¹⁰ together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 4to 8-membered heterocycle which may contain up to two further heteroatoms from the series N, O and/or S, it being possible for the heterocycle to be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, C₁-C₆-alkyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C₁-C₆alkoxycarbonyl, amino, C₁-C₆-alkylamino, aminocarbonyl and C₁-C₆alkylaminocarbonyl,

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or one of their salts, their solvates or the solvates of their salts.

2. The compound of claim 1, characterized in that

 R^1 is $-OR^8$ or $-NR^9R^{10}$.

 R^2 is hydrogen or C₁-C₄-alkyl,

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it being possible for alkyl R² to be substituted by 0 or 1 substitutent R²⁻¹ selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxy, C₁-C₆alkylcarbonyloxy, C₁-C₆-alkylaminocarbonyl, C₃-C₇-cycloalkyl, 5- to 6membered heterocyclyl, phenyl, phenoxy and 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl,

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in which cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, phenyl or heteroaryl R²⁻¹ may be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, oxo, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, C_1 - C_6 -alkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, hydroxycarbonyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxycarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, amino, aminocarbonyl, C₁-C₆-alkylaminocarbonyl and phenyl,

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R³ and R⁴ are hydrogen,

 R^5 and R^6 are hydrogen,

 R^7

is 6- to 8-membered carbocyclyl,

it being possible for carbocyclyl R⁷ to be substituted by 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of C_1 - C_6 -alkyl,

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 R^8 is C₁-C₄-alkyl, it being possible for alkyl R^8 to be substituted by 0, 1 or 2 substituents R^{8-1} selected independently of one another from the group consisting of hydroxyl, amino, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, aminocarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, pyridyl, 1,2,4-triazol-1-yl and pyrazol-1-yl,

5 R^9 is hydrogen or C_1 - C_6 -alkyl,

it being possible for alkyl R^9 to be substituted by 0 or 1 substituent R^{9-1} selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy and amino,

and

R¹⁰ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆-alkyl, C₃-C₆-cycloalkyl or phenyl,

it being possible for alkyl R^{10} to be substituted by 0 or 1 substituent R^{10-1} selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 -alkylamino, C_5 - C_7 -cycloalkyl, 5- to 6-membered heterocyclyl, phenyl and 5- to 6-membered heteroaryl,

in which cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, phenyl or heteroaryl $R^{10\text{-}1}$ may be substituted by 0, 1, 2 or 3 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy, $C_1\text{-}C_6\text{-}alkyl$, $C_1\text{-}C_6\text{-}alkoxy$, hydroxycarbonyl, $C_1\text{-}C_6\text{-}alkoxy$ carbonyl, amino, $C_1\text{-}C_6\text{-}alkyl$ amino, aminocarbonyl and $C_1\text{-}C_6\text{-}alkyl$ aminocarbonyl,

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R⁹ and R¹⁰ together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 5to 6-membered heterocycle which may contain up to two further heteroatoms from the series N, O and/or S.

3. The compound of claim 1 or 2, characterized in that

25 R^1 is $-OR^8$ or $-NR^9R^{10}$,

 R^2 is hydrogen or C_1 - C_4 -alkyl,

it being possible for alkyl R² to be substituted by 0 or 1 substituent R²⁻¹ selected from the group consisting of methoxy, diethylaminocarbonyl, cyclopropyl, phenyl, phenoxy and pyridyl,

in which phenyl R²⁻¹ may be substituted by 0, 1 or 2 substituents selected independently of one another from the group consisting of fluorine, chlorine, nitro, cyano, trifluoromethyl, methyl, methoxy and methyloxycarbonyl,

R³ and R⁴ are hydrogen,

R⁵ and R⁶ are hydrogen,

10 R⁷ is bicyclo[2.2.1]heptyl,

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it being possible for bicyclo[2.2.1]heptyl to be substituted by 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 methyl groups,

 R^8 is C_1 - C_3 -alkyl,

it being possible for alkyl R⁸ to be substituted by 0 or 1 substituent R⁸⁻¹ selected independently of one another from the group consisting of hydroxyl, dimethylamino, aminocarbonyl, methylcarbonylamino, pyridyl, 1,2,4-triazol-1-yl and pyrazol-1-yl,

R⁹ is hydrogen,

and

20 R¹⁰ is hydrogen, C₁-C₄-alkyl, cyclopropyl or cyclopentyl,

it being possible for alkyl R¹⁰ to be substituted by 0 or 1 substituent R¹⁰⁻¹ selected from the group consisting of hydroxyl, methoxy, dimethylamino, phenyl, pyridyl and imidazol-1-yl,

in which phenyl R¹⁰⁻¹ may be substituted by 0, 1 or 2 methoxy substituents.

25 4. A process for preparing a compound of the formula (I) of claim 1, characterized in that

according to process [A]

a compound of the formula

in which

5 R^1 is $-OR^8$,

R⁸ is the optionally substituted alkyl indicated for R⁸ in formula (I), and

 R^2 , R^3 and R^4 are as defined in claim 1,

is reacted in the first stage with a reducing agent,

in the second stage optionally with a compound of the formula

$$X^1-R^5$$
 (III),

in which

R⁵ is as defined in claim 1 and

X¹ is halogen, preferably bromine or chlorine,

and in the third stage, in the presence of a carbonic acid derivative, with a compound of the formula

$$R^{6}$$
 N R^{7} $(IV),$

in which

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R⁶ and R⁷ are as defined in claim 1,

to give a compound of the formula

in which

 R^1 is $-OR^8$,

R⁸ has the definition as in formula (IIa), and

5 R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 and R^7 are as defined in claim 1,

or

according to process [B]

a compound of the formula (Ia)

in which

10 R⁸ is methyl or ethyl,

are reacted in the presence of a base to give a compound of the formula

in which

 R^1 is $-OR^8$,

15 R⁸ is hydrogen, and

 R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 and R^7 are as defined in claim 1,

according to process [C]

a compound of the formula (Ib) is reacted with a compound of the formula

$$R^1$$
-H (V),

in which

5 R^1 is as defined in claim 1,

in the presence of dehydrating reagents to give a compound of the formula (I),

or

according to process [D]

a compound of the formula

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in which

 R^1 is $-NR^9R^{10}$, and

 R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^9 and R^{10} are as defined in claim 1,

is reacted in the first stage with a reducing agent,

in the second stage optionally with a compound of the formula (III)

and in the third stage, in the presence of a carbonic acid derivative, with a compound of the formula (IV)

to give a compound of the formula

in which

 R^1 is $-NR^9R^{10}$, and

 R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^7 , R^9 and R^{10} are as defined in claim 1,

5 or

according to process [E]

a compound of the formula

in which

 R^1 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 and R^7 are as defined in claim 1,

is reacted with a compound of the formula

$$X^2-R^2$$
 (VIII),

in which

R² is as defined in claim 1, and

15 X^2 is halogen, preferably bromine or chlorine, to give a compound of the formula (I).

- 5. The compound of any one of claims 1 to 3 for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of diseases.
- 6. A medicament comprising a compound as in any one of claims 1 to 3 in combination with at least one inert, nontoxic, pharmaceutically appropriate excipient.
- 7. The use of a compound of any one of claims 1 to 3 for producing a medicament for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of viral infections.
- 8. The use of claim 7, characterized in that the viral infection is an infection with human cytomegalovirus (HCMV) or with another representative of the group of Herpes viridae.
 - 9. The medicament of claim 6 for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of viral infections.
 - 10. A method of controlling viral infections in humans and animals by administering an antivirally active amount of at least one compound of any one of claims 1 to 3 or of at least one medicament of claim 6, 7 or 8.

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